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## PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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$\boxtimes$	Declaration.
	Power of Attorney.
	Verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27.
$\boxtimes$	Assignment transmittal letter and Assignment of the invention to: General Motors Corporation.
	Other:

Claims as Filed	Col. 1	Col. 2
For	No. Filed	No. Extra
Basic Fee		
Total Claims	22-20	2
Indep. Claims	3-3	0
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Rate	Fee
	\$385
X\$9= x\$43= +\$145=	\$
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Other Than Small Entity

or	Rate	Fee
or		\$770
or	2X\$18=	\$36
or	x\$86=	\$0
or	+\$290=	\$
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